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## HE SENT IN \$27.

Man With Stricken Conscience  
Compromised With Santa Fe.

Thought the Amount Claimed  
by Company Too Steep.

TOOK IT TO THE LORD.

And Found Out That \$27 Would  
Square the Deal.

Passenger Rate Clerks Not  
Posted on New Tariff.

Stranger even than the ordinarily peculiar letters of a religious convert are the letters of a California man who explains his actions in making a contribution to the "conscience fund" of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway company.

Declaring that he had "decided to lead a different life," the conscience-stricken Californian wrote the passenger department of the Santa Fe the following which is explanatory of the situation which arose to trouble his conscience:

"Dear Sir: Nearly one and a half months ago I was in Chicago. I went into a broker's office and there bought a ticket for Prescott, Arizona, paid thirty dollars for it. Since I came here I have decided to live a different life, that is to serve the Lord, and the question arises in my mind, did I do wrong in buying that ticket; did I wrong the Santa Fe company. It was a good ticket, but I have understood that the company did not want such work; if this is so I will ask forgiveness and if there is any more that I should do let me know. I mean do I owe the company anything. I remain sincerely yours,

The Californian received in reply a letter commending him for his honesty in offering to pay the railway company the amount for his passage from Chicago to Prescott.

It was explained to him that the original purchaser of the round trip ticket at Prescott got the ticket on an excursion rate of one fare for the round trip, and that the sale of a ticket on that condition carried with it a contract upon the part of the purchaser stipulating that it was good for passage on the return trip only by the original purchaser, whom he had paid no more for the ticket than he would have had to pay for a ticket one way between Prescott and Chicago. Consequently, the Californian was told that the Santa Fe had in effect carried him from Chicago to Prescott without one cent of compensation. He was told that the first class one way fare between those points was \$24.00 and that the second class rate was \$24.00.

He was told that it rested entirely with his conscience whether he paid the amount or not, but that he had better do so to pay for what he had received, he could remit either of the amounts quoted.

The reply to this letter is perhaps the funniest ever received with "conscience fund" remittance by any corporation. He says:

"Dear Sir: I received your letter and have prayed over the matter. I believe the Lord fixes the amount at \$27.00. I had no idea that two so much more did I ever before see it this way. Anointed fund amount.

"Very respectfully yours,  
"Saved in Jesus, Amen."

All the rate clerks in the passenger department have been puzzling over the problem of how the Lord arrived at the conclusion that the amount due the railway company was \$27.00. They declare that it is absolutely certain that the Lord must have a rate sheet entirely different from that on file with the interstate commerce commission at Washington, because it is impossible to figure out that amount in any manner from the rate sheet.

"There is only one other explanation of the question," says a passenger agent. "The Californian may have been thinking so deeply over the matter that he became confused as to the figures he thought out himself and the statement of the Lord. Personally he might have had a sort of an idea that the ticket broker was in partnership with the railroad company and in view of the fact he had paid the ticket broker the sum of \$30, all that was necessary to square himself with his conscience was to remit the difference between the full fare and the amount he had paid the broker. Even this doesn't figure out right unless the discrepancy between the amount as it would be determined on this basis and the sum of \$27 is taken as interest on the amount."

The money was turned into the treasury of the department of the company and a sweet letter written to the contributor.

Coincident with the recent great wave of sentiment for railway regulation and control, railway officials declare there has been a greater number of people making contributions to the "conscience fund" than ever before. It is said that the Santa Fe equal the total amount received during the past five years.

WAS IT AN ASSUMED NAME?

Durbin allowed but two seconds for singles in yesterday's game here at Wichita. Errors in the ninth inning were responsible for his second downfall within a week.

Joplin tried out a new outfielder in Saturday's game by the name of Ed. He did not do much with the stick. He was at bat three times and got away with three hits.

The following is the way the Joplin Globe wrote up Friday's game. It is interestingly expressing their disapproval of President Baker's imitation of "Moosey" McGraw.

"Joplin again tasted the bitter dregs of defeat yesterday when the rotund magnate's stellar aggregation lessened their chance on the pennant by allowing the Topeka bunch to annex a single tally in the tenth inning of the game that had bristled with errors on the part of the players of both sides. Joplin, however, leading as usual, in the number of errors captured.

"Topeka has demonstrated that Joplin will not be in the running. The only thing that can possibly keep the Miners from capturing the bunting is Topeka—and the Cooley-crows absolutely refuse to withdraw and to allow the followers of the pot-bellied dictator to assume the lead."

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## FOR RAILROAD MEN.

Friday Evening Entertainments for  
Winter at Railroad Y. M. C. A.

So successful was last winter's lecture course that the entertainment committee of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. have adopted a similar plan for every Friday evening during the coming fall and winter.

October 12—An evening with James Whitcomb Riley. Miss Cora Bell Latham, late of Ottumwa, Iowa.

October 19—"A Greedy Set," Dr. R. S. Maxon.

October 26—Polyphonic entertainment by Tom Corwin of Chicago, Ill.

November 2—"Chalk Talk," H. A. Ott. November 9—Evening of Readings, Miss Lora McGrover, of Oliver, Kan.

November 16—Evening of Readings, Miss Nellie Lincoln.

November 23—Musical and Literary. T. S. of C. E. of First Presbyterian church.

November 30—E. W. White of Chicago and R. R. Y. M. C. A. Male quartette. December 7—"Hawaiian Islands," Jao. E. Frost.

December 14—Musical, Mrs. Blanche Lyons of E. U. Lawrence, Kan. December 21—Piano Recital, Harry Harris, late of Chicago.

January 1—Open house. Refreshments served from 2 till 8 p. m. Entertainment during the evening. The direction of George Beardsley.

January 4—Ambrosian Male quartette. January 11—Musical, Mrs. Annie M. Terry, Bunt.

January 18—Musical and Literary, Epworth League First M. E. church. January 25—Medicos of Topeka.

February 1—"Savage Men," illustrated by 100 views, Prof. L. L. Dyche of Lawrence, Kan.

February 8—Musical, choir Church of Ascension.

February 15—Scenes, Farces and Readings, Miss Clara M. Crumb.

February 22—Washington's Birthday entertainment. T. S. of C. E. of First Congregational church.

March 1—Musical, Miss Gertrude Tracy.

March 8—"Trip Along the Nile," illustrated, Rev. J. P. White.

March 15—Musical and Literary, Y. P. S. of C. E. North Topeka Baptist church.

March 22—"My Trip to the Philippines with the Taft Party," Hon. Charles Curtis.

March 29—Musical, Quartette choir First Presbyterian church.

April 5—"Is It Right to Tell a Lie?" Rev. Loyd W. Madden.

April 12—Work done by gymnasium classes. Dr. E. W. White, physical director.

The committees have decided that children under 15 years of age will not be admitted unless accompanied by parents.

The members can secure their entertainment tickets from the office of the association on and after October 1.

LAND OF BURNS.

John Lowrie and Family Visit in Scotland.

John Lowrie of Topeka who has been visiting Scotland this summer writes to a friend as follows:

"We had a very pleasant voyage across the Atlantic and have visited the land of Burns. We saw the cottage, the monument and the banks of Doon and from there we proceeded to the old Royal Burgh of Sanquhar."

"We visited the old Sanquhar castle and then we proceeded by coach to Drumlanrig castle, the seat of the duke of Buccleuch where we had the pleasure of going through the ancient castle which was built in 1679 by William, first earl of Queensberry. We also had the pleasure of visiting the beautiful gardens which were a sight to see. Thence from there to Thornhill from which we proceeded to Dumfriestown the queen of the south, where we visited the interior of Burns' house, Dumfries, where the poet died the 21st of July, 1796. Here we met his granddaughter and great granddaughter. From thence we went to the Burns mausoleum where the poet was buried. Then we visited the observatory on the Maxwellton side of the 7th."

"This is a brief sketch of our southern trip. We are now in Glasgow, from which we will proceed tomorrow to Edinburgh."

## AFTER EASY MONEY.

Two Topeka Boys Chased a Rainbow to Kansas City.

Two Topeka boys, who had started out in search of adventure and lucrative employment, were whipped in the bud Sunday by Kansas City police. While their parents were wondering about them, and had decided to notify the police, Claud Anderson, aged 13, and Roy Brewer, aged 16, were being detained and questioned at the union depot in Kansas City.

The boys readily admitted that they had run away from home, but were willing to go back. Claud Anderson is the son of W. O. Anderson, of the Anderson-Armstrong commission company, who lives at 1266 Tyler street, and Roy Brewer is the son of David Brewer, of 315 West Tenth avenue.

As an excuse for leaving home the Anderson boy told the Kansas City officers that his father told him he was spending too much money, and he wanted to get out and earn some money of his own. He said it was too hard work to earn money in Topeka, and he wanted to go to Chicago, where he could earn money easier.

RIG CROWDS AT THE NOVELTY.

List of Strong Attractions Brings Out Good Attendance.

A most entertaining show is that provided by the bill at the Novelty theater for this week, and the large audiences at the performances last night were generous in their applause of each of the acts. Tracy and Carter, character singing and comedy change artists, are singers of more than ordinary ability. Mr. Tracy has an exceptional baritone voice. In fact he is about as good a singer as has been heard in this city on the vaudeville stage. Another interesting act is given by the Le Monts, banjoists of considerable ability. Miss Le Mont is also a fine singer with a rich voice that is remarkably full, and which she handles with skill. The Great Jackson, a contortionist, is also on the bill. He does some really marvelous twists and turns and shows his dislocations seem to border on the impossible. Werrel Spencer has a new illustrated song, and the moving pictures show a series of exciting scenes in which a king of men make an effort to wreck a train, are killed by a girl and a dog, and are captured and killed in an exciting chase.

SHALE CO. PAYS DIVIDEND.

But It Was Not Produced by Sale of Kansas Gold.

Topeka stock holders of the Fabrig Mining and Milling company which was organized in 1901 for the purpose of exploiting the gold which was supposed to be in place in quantities in the shales of Trego county received their last and final dividend last week amounting to 84 1/2 per cent. Previous to this a dividend of 15 per cent was paid. The company has been capitalized for \$10,000 with shares of \$100 each, the shares being sold at par.

The dividend was realized from the sale of a quarter section of land in Trego county and the machinery used in grinding the shale. Ernest Fabrig, a Philadelphia chemist who was reputed to be an expert in his way, claimed that under a process which he devised the gold could be extracted in paying quantities from the shale. But Fabrig failed to make good when the final tests came, though the members of the company have an opportunity to have the shale tested to have extracted from the shale.

A WONDERFUL CLOSE RACE.

Chicago and New York American League Teams Neck and Neck.

New York, Sept. 17.—Neck and neck the Chicago and New York American leaguers are now racing to the wire, battling for the championship pennant. These two clubs are once more on even terms, each having won seventy-nine games and lost fifty-one, up to Saturday night, a total of 130 that have been played off. The percentage is 59 1/2.

This leaves each club twenty-four games that have to be cleared before the curtain falls, Sunday, October 7, providing none are stopped by inclement weather at a time when it will be impossible for the postponement to be played off.

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## END OF THE OLD DUMP

Fire and Fences Put Finishing Touches to Historic Spot.

The Santa Fe railroad set a force of men at work this morning building a fence along the river bank from a point at the old crematory plant site to the Sardon avenue bridge across the Kansas river. No dumping along the river bank in that vicinity will be allowed in the future by the railroad.

The plant burned down at the ground at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The furnaces were uninjured being erected of concrete and brick but the buildings were badly burned. The loss, however, will probably not exceed \$250. The main item of expense was the chimney and the furnaces and both of these remain. The origin of the fire is unknown. The last fire preparatory to a complete shutdown was built in the furnaces in the forenoon and it is thought that the fire may have started from this source. The entire plant will be wrecked by the company.

WHO GETS THE RENT?

Clash Between Claimants of Title to Real Estate Building.

The collection of the rental of offices in the Real Estate building is in dispute between C. P. Bolmar, custodian of the building who claims the title to that place before the death of C. J. Devlin, the former owner, and James T. Bradley, the receiver of the First National, who claims the building. A deed to the building in the name of P. J. Monaghan exists, Monaghan purchasing the building for the Knights of Columbus, but not completing the purchase. At the time of the failure of the bank the building was also signed over to the First National as security. This complicates the real title to the building and the equity of \$3,000 which exists above the mortgage of \$25,000.

SAYS GRILEY IS MISTAKEN.

Mrs. H. T. Reese Defends Dr. Hogeboom in Crematory Row.

Mrs. H. T. Reese, living near the new crematory site east of Oakland, retorted the charges made by Councilman Griley that Dr. H. B. Hogeboom, city physician, has been out among the residents in that section and urging them to bring injunction proceedings to restrain the crematory company from carrying on its work. Mrs. Reese states that Dr. Hogeboom has not been out at the new site nor has he been attempting to bring injunction proceedings.

"I saw Mr. Griley's statement," said Mrs. Reese, "and I simply want to set Dr. Hogeboom right. Griley is mistaken when he says Hogeboom has been out here. This is our fight, and we don't need Hogeboom's suggestions."

MORE TIME FOR ILL TRAVELERS.

Rock Island Will Extend the Limit on Ticket on Doctor's Certificate.

A circular issued by the passenger department of the Rock Island system announces that the limit of passenger tickets will be extended when the original purchaser is unable to use them on account of sickness. There must be a certificate from a physician before an extension can be obtained.

"Special Agent" Handled Money.

Mrs. Ella Burton makes the following statement in reply to the communications of J. A. Ramsey, the Topeka man:

"I am glad Mr. J. A. Ramsey gave public expression to his feelings. I was sorry for him when he lost his position with Crane & Co. soon after our employment, and had he made his rash statements and, as he knew, unjust, attack on us privately a good cause might have suffered."

"Ramsey" knew that a "special agent" from Missouri handled the \$2,000 in the Shawnee county adoption in 1896.

"MRS. ELLA G. BURTON."

Mather Goes to Chicago.

E. M. Mather who has been chief clerk to the division freight agent of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad company at Topeka has resigned to go to Chicago to accept a position in the office of C. S. Tewksbury, freight claim agent of the company. Mr. Mather is a brother of Robert Mather, general counsel of the Rock Island with headquarters in New York City. He has been in the freight office at Topeka for several years, and was exceptionally well liked by all those who came in contact with him.

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The Mexican version of the Sells-Floto literary is being sent out on a picture postal, which bears, aside from a lot of print which may be of information to Mexicans, but none to the average American, a picture of the bull ring at Ciudad Juarez.